# AMENDENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the

application:

Claims 1-34 (canceled).

Claim 35. (new) An image recording apparatus having at least one of a copy mode

and a facsimile mode, the image recording apparatus comprising:

a panel section which has input keys operable to input a numerical value

corresponding to at least one of the number of copies in the copy mode and a telephone

number of a destination in the facsimile mode;

a display section which displays at least one of a screen for the copy mode and a

screen for the facsimile mode, a display capacity of the screen in the copy mode being

smaller than a display capacity of the screen in the facsimile mode; and

a controller which, when the copy mode is set and when the numerical value input

by the panel section exceeds the display capacity of the screen in the copy mode, switches

from the copy mode to the facsimile mode.

Claim 36. (new) The image recording apparatus according to claim 35, wherein the

display capacity of the screen, when the input numerical value corresponding to the

number of copies is displayed, is smaller than the display capacity of the screen, when the

input numerical value corresponding to the telephone number of the destination is

displayed.

Claim 37. (new) An image recording apparatus having at least one of a copy mode and a facsimile mode, the image recording apparatus comprising:

a panel section which has input keys operable to input a numerical value corresponding to at least one of the number of copies in the copy mode and a telephone number of a destination in the facsimile mode, and which has a start key which starts at least one of copying and facsimile transmission; and

a controller which determines whether or not the numerical value input by the panel section is the numerical value corresponding to the number of copies when the copy mode is set, and which, when the numerical value input by the panel section is not the numerical value corresponding to the number copies, does not start copying, even if the start key is actuated;

the controller further being configured to wait for another input by the panel section when the controller does not start copying.

Claim 38. (new) The image recording apparatus according to claim 37, wherein the controller determines that the input numerical value corresponds to the number of copies by using, as a threshold value, a number digits less than the number of digits utilized for the telephone number of the destination.

Claim 39. (new) The image recording apparatus according to claim 37, wherein the another input by the panel section comprises an input of a reset key.

Claim 40. (new) An image recording apparatus having at least one of a copy mode and a facsimile mode, the image recording apparatus comprising:

a panel section which has input keys operable to input a numerical value corresponding to at least one of the number of copies in the copy mode and a telephone number of a destination in the facsimile mode; and

a controller which determines, when the copy mode is set, whether or not a numerical value input by the panel section includes a predetermined character, and which switches from the copy mode to the facsimile mode when the numerical value input by the panel section includes the predetermined character.

Claim 41. (new) The image recording apparatus according to claim 40, wherein the predetermined character comprises input of a pause key.

Claim 42. (new) The image recording apparatus according to claim 40, wherein when the controller switches from the copy mode to the facsimile mode, the numerical value input by the panel section is retained, the retained numerical value being utilized in the facsimile mode.

Claim 43. (new) The image recording apparatus according to claim 42, wherein the controller combines digits of a numerical value input by the panel section in the facsimile mode with digits of the retained numerical value, after the controller switches from the copy mode to the facsimile mode, and calls the destination based on the telephone number including the retained numerical value.

Claim 44. (new) A method for controlling an image recording apparatus having at least one of a copy mode and a facsimile mode, the method comprising:

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inputting a numerical value corresponding to at least one of the number of copies in the copy mode and a telephone number of a destination in the facsimile mode;

displaying at least one of a screen for the copy mode and a screen for the facsimile mode, a display capacity of the screen in the copy mode being smaller than a display capacity of the screen in the facsimile mode;

setting the copy mode; and

switching from the copy mode to the facsimile mode, when the input numerical value exceeds the display capacity of the screen in the copy mode.

Claim 45. (new) A method for controlling an image recording apparatus having at least one of a copy mode and a facsimile mode, the image recording apparatus having a start key which starts at least one of copying and facsimile transmission, the method comprising:

inputting a numerical value corresponding to at least one of the number of copies in the copy mode and a telephone number of a destination in the facsimile mode;

determining whether or not the input numerical value is a numerical value corresponding to the number of copies when the copy mode is set;

inhibiting of the copying when the input numerical value is not the numerical value corresponding to the number of copies, even if the start key is actuated; and

waiting for another input when copying is inhibited.

Claim 46. (new) A method for controlling an image recording apparatus having at least one of a copy mode and a facsimile mode, the method comprising:

inputting a numerical value corresponding to at least one of the number of copies in the copy mode and a telephone number of a destination in the facsimile mode;

determining, when the copy mode is set, whether or not the input numerical value includes a predetermined character;

switching from the copy mode to the facsimile mode when the input numerical value includes the predetermined character.